#### **COUNTY PROFILE**

## Red Lake Co.

Red Lake Co. is a part of Economic Development Region 1, which is located in the Northwest Planning Region.

## **POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS**

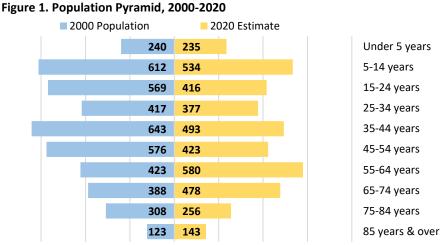
Red Lake Co.'s population decreased this decade, ranking as the 73rd fastest growing of the 87 counties in the state from 2010 to 2020. It is now the 85th largest in the state. Red Lake Co.'s population has an older median age than the state and a larger percentage of people aged 65 years and older. The population is aging, especially as the Baby Boom generation moves through the population pyramid (see Figure 1).

Current population:	3,935 people
Population change,	
2010-2020	-3.8% decline

Median Age: 43.0 years

state: 38.3 years

Table 1. Population by Age Group, 2020 Number **Percent** Under 5 years 235 6.0% 5-14 years 534 13.6% 416 10.6% 15-24 years 25-34 years 377 9.6% 493 35-44 years 12.5% 45-54 years 423 10.8% 55-64 years 580 14.7% 65-74 years 478 12.1% 256 75-84 years 6.5% 85 years & over 143 3.6% **Total Population** 3,935 100.0% Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates



Red Lake Co. enjoyed a natural increase - more births than deaths from 2010 to 2019, but also experienced net out-migration - meaning more people moved out than moved in. Despite suffering domestic out-migration, Red Lake Co. welcomed net international in-migration - gaining new Minnesotans from foreign countries (see Table 2).

Table 2. Components of Population Change, 2010-2019									
	Total		April 1, 2010 to July 1, 2019						
	Population	Natural	Vital Events Net Migration				on		
	Change	Increase	Births	Deaths	Total	International	Domestic		
Red Lake Co.	-34	124	456	332	-162	12	-174		
State of Minnesota	335,705	250,488	637,356	386,868	88,161	114,414	-26,253		

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates Program

Figure 2. Place of Birth for the Foreign Born Population,

Compared to the state, Red Lake Co. has a smaller percentage of foreign-born residents. From 2010 to 2019, Red Lake Co. saw a decrease in the number of foreign-born residents, though it was slower than the statewide increase.

Table 3. Place of Birth for the Foreign Born	Red Lake Co. Change			010-2019	Minnesota		
Population, 2019	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Percent	Change	
Foreign-born Population	44	1.1%	-12	-21.4%	8.5%	28.9%	
Europe	11	25.0%	1	10.0%	9.9%	4.5%	
Asia	2	4.5%	2	#DIV/0!	37.5%	30.3%	
Africa	0	0.0%	-21	-100.0%	25.5%	72.0%	
Oceania	0	0.0%	0	#DIV/0!	0.5%	37.2%	
Americas:	31	70.5%	6	24.0%	26.6%	10.0%	
Latin America	21	47.7%	10	90.9%	24.1%	12.2%	
Northern America	10	22.7%	-4	-28.6%	2.5%	-7.7%	

2019

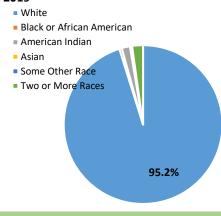
Europe
Asia
Africa
Oceania
Latin America

Northern America

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015-2019 American Community Survey

Red Lake Co.'s population was becoming more racially diverse over time. Since 2000, the county's white population declined, but the number of people of other races increased (see Table 4).

Figure 3. Population by Race, 2019



	F	Red Lake C	Minnesota		
Table 4. Race and Hispanic Origin, 2019	Number	Percent	Change from 2000-2019	Percent	Change from 2000-2019
Total	4,015	100.0%	-6.6%	100.0%	13.1%
White	3,821	95.2%	-8.8%	82.8%	4.7%
Black or African American	20	0.5%	150.0%	6.4%	107.6%
American Indian or Alaska Native	68	1.7%	-13.9%	1.0%	5.5%
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	0	0.0%	-100.0%	4.9%	87.8%
Some Other Race	17	0.4%	240.0%	1.9%	58.1%
Two or More Races	89	2.2%	493.3%	3.0%	99.9%
Hispanic or Latino origin	155	3.9%	1092.3%	5.4%	108.9%

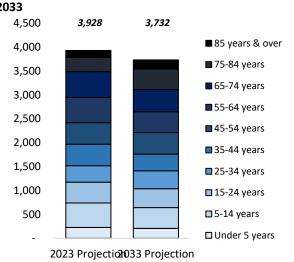
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015-2019 American Community Survey

#### **POPULATION PROJECTIONS**

According to the Minnesota State Demographic Center, Red Lake Co.'s population is expected to decline from 2023 to 2033, with a rate of change that is slower than the projected statewide growth rate (5.6%). Despite the decline, the number of people aged 65 years and older is expected to increase over the next decade (see Figure 4 and Table 5).

Table 5. Population Projections by Age Group, 2023-2033								
	2023	2023 2033 <i>Numeric</i>						
Red Lake Co.	Projection	Projection	Change	Change				
Under 5 years	227	206	-21	-9.3%				
5-14 years	511	436	<i>-75</i>	-14.7%				
15-24 years	435	393	-42	-9.7%				
25-34 years	346	378	32	9.2%				
35-44 years	448	347	-101	-22.5%				
45-54 years	451	451	0	0.0%				
55-64 years	526	436	-90	-17.1%				
65-74 years	542	465	-77	-14.2%				
75-84 years	294	430	136	46.3%				
85 years & over	148	190	42	28.4%				
Total Population	3,928	3,732	-196	-5.0%				

Figure 4. Projections by Age Group, 2023-



Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center

## **EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT**

Red Lake Co. has a lower percentage of adults (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma than the state (92.4%), and a lower percentage of people with at least some college experience. Red Lake Co. also has a higher percentage of people with an Associate's degree and a lower percentage of people with a Bachelor's degree or higher.

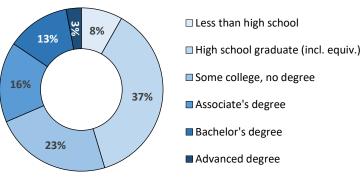
Percentage of the adult population (18 years & over) with at least a high school diploma:

91.8%

College-educated: 54.6% state: 67.1%

Associate's Degree: 15.9%
Bachelor's Degree: 12.5%
Advanced Degree: 3.0%

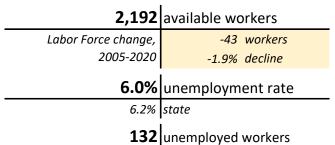
Figure 5. Educational Attainment, 2019

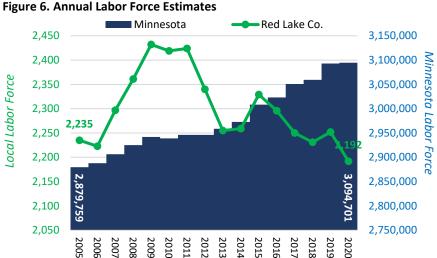


Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2015-2019 American Community Survey

#### LABOR FORCE TRENDS

At 6%, Red Lake Co. had a lower unemployment rate than the state in 2020. Due to the pandemic recession Red Lake Co.'s unemployment rate increased compared to 5.4% in 2019, but was lower than the 9.6% rate posted in 2010. The number of unemployed workers actively seeking work in Red Lake Co. increased over the past year, and is down compared to 2010.





Source: DEED Local Area Unemployment Statistics

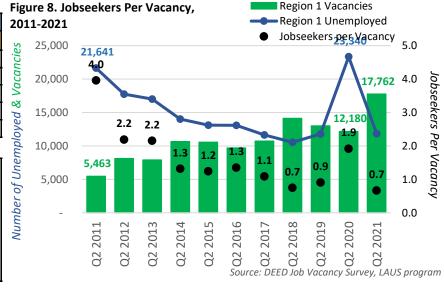
Labor force growth has slowed in recent years. After experiencing a net gain of 13.3 workers each year from 1990 to 2000, Red Lake Co. averaged an annual gain of 20.7 new workers from 2000 to 2010, and most recently a loss of -22.7 fewer workers since 2010 (see Figure 7). Moving forward, Red Lake Co. is expected to see a labor force decline from 2023 to 2033 (see Table 6).

Figure 7. Annual Change in Labor Force, 1990-2020 350 Average of 13 Average of 21 Average of -23 Year-Over-Year Change in Available Workers 300 new workers per year new workers per year fewer workers per year 250 200 150 100 50 0 -50 -100 -150 2011-2014 2011-2010 A 2010-2010 D LO CO 2009-2010 D LO CO 2008-200 Surce 2017-20188 2016-201188 2015-2019 Statistic 2014-2019 Statistic 2013-201 2018-201% 1990-1991 2000-2001 1991-1992 1992-1993 1993-199 1994-1995 2002-2003 2003-2004 2004-2005 2005-2006 2007-2008 2019-2020 1995-1996 1996-1997 1997-1998 1998-1999 1999-2000 2006-2007

Table 6. Labor Force	Labor Force Projection				
Projections, 2023-2033	2023 2033				
16 to 24 years	245	227			
25 to 54 years	1,111	1,049			
55 to 64 years	382	316			
65 years & over	198	187			
Total Labor Force	1,935	1,779			

Source: Minnesota State Demographic Center

The labor market had grown extremely tight in recent years, with less than 1 jobseeker per vacancy until the pandemic recession intervened in early 2020 and the number of unemployed workers spiked. However, by the second quarter of 2021, job vacancies in Northwest reached new highs, quickly bringing back challenges in finding new workers (see Figure 8).



## LABOR FORCE CHARACTERISTICS

Red Lake Co. had a lower labor force participation rate than the state. The labor force in Red Lake Co. is less racially diverse than the state (where 84.8% of workers are white alone), but is becoming more diverse over time.

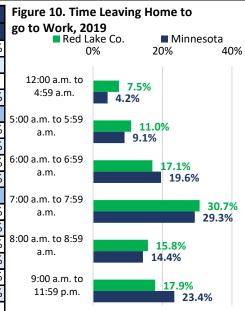
Table 7. Employment Characteristics, 2019							
	Re	d Lake Co.		Minne	esota	Red Lake Co.	
	In Labor Force (available workers)	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Labor Force Partic. Rate	Unemp. Rate	Male	Female
Total Labor Force	2,050	65.3%	2.9%	69.7%	3.6%	1,068	983
16 to 19 years	105	57.1%	18.1%	53.2%	11.0%	65	40
20 to 24 years	109	70.8%	0.0%	84.6%	6.0%	45	64
25 to 44 years	806	88.8%	3.4%	88.8%	3.2%	415	391
45 to 54 years	422	90.0%	0.0%	87.6%	2.7%	221	201
55 to 64 years	452	72.5%	1.8%	73.0%	2.8%	245	207
65 to 74 years	130	30.7%	3.8%	27.9%	2.2%	68	62
75 years & over	27	7.1%	0.0%	6.6%	2.4%	9	18
Employment Characteristics by Race &	Hispanic Origin					Figure 9. L	abor Force by
White alone	1,967	65.2%	2.9%	69.3%	3.0%	Race, 2019	-
Black or African American	5	41.7%	0.0%	71.3%	8.8%		
American Indian & Alaska Native	36	67.9%	0.0%	58.9%	12.6%		
Asian or Other Pac. Islanders	0	#DIV/0!	#DIV/0!	71.2%	4.3%		W
Some Other Race	17	100.0%	0.0%	77.7%	6.1%		\\
Two or More Races	27	65.9%	7.4%	73.6%	7.4%		
Hispanic or Latino	74	81.3%	0.0%	76.5%	6.1%		
<b>Employment Characteristics by Disabili</b>	ty						
With Any Disability	120	49.0%	2.5%	53.0%	8.6%		95.9%
<b>Employment Characteristics by Educati</b>	onal Attainment						
Population, 25 to 64 years	1,680	84.0%	2.1%	84.5%	3.0%	White a	
Less than H.S. Diploma	69	65.1%	2.4%	66.3%	4.2%		African American
H.S. Diploma or Equivalent	576	83.2%	1.1%	78.5%	2.6%		n Indian & Alaska Na
Some College or Assoc. Degree	751	86.6%	1.2%	85.3%	3.0%		Other Pac. Islanders
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	284	84.8%	1.1%	90.0%	1.7%	Some O	ther Race

Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Two or More Races

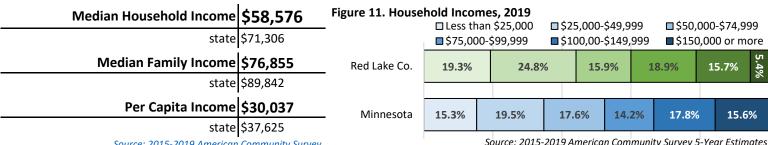
A smaller percentage of workers in Red Lake Co. worked in the same county in which they live compared to the state. Red Lake Co. also had a longer average commute time than the state.

	Red Lak	e Co.	Minn	esota	F
Table 8. Commuting Characteristics, 2019	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	٤
Worked in state of residence	1,874	95.5%	2,837,697	97.6%	
Worked in county of residence	852	43.4%	1,846,247	63.5%	
Worked out of county of residence	1,022	52.1%	991,449	34.1%	
Worked outside state of residence	88	4.5%	69,779	2.4%	
MEANS OF TRANSPORTATION TO WORK					5
Car, truck, or van	1,776	90.5%	2,506,244	86.2%	
Public transportation (excl. taxicab)	2	0.1%	101,762	3.5%	
Other method (walk, bike, taxi, etc.)	102	5.2%	125,021	4.3%	6
Worked at home	84	4.3%	171,541	5.9%	
TRAVEL TIME TO WORK					7
Less than 10 minutes	453	23.1%	456,474	15.7%	
10 to 19 minutes	283	14.4%	872,243	30.0%	
20 to 29 minutes	610	31.1%	645,460	22.2%	8
30 to 44 minutes	373	19.0%	575,680	19.8%	
45 to 59 minutes	122	6.2%	194,801	6.7%	
60 or more minutes	122	6.2%	162,819	5.6%	
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	24.4	minutes	23.7 minutes		



## **INCOMES, COST OF LIVING, & HOUSING**

Red Lake Co. had a lower median household income than the state, and a higher percentage of households with incomes below \$50,000. Overall, Red Lake Co. had the 46th highest median household income of the 87 counties in the state.



Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey

Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Red Lake Co. also had a lower cost of living than the state, with a required hourly wage of \$15.05 for a single person living alone to meet a basic needs cost of living, and an hourly wage requirement of \$15.46 for a typical family with 2 adults and 1 child (see Table 9).

Table 9. Basic Needs Cost of Living Estimates, 2020										
	Single Yearly Hourly Wage Monthly Costs									
Single Adult, 0 children	Cost of Living		Child Care	Food	Health	Housing	Trans-	Other	Taxes	
	COSt Of Living	Required	Cilia Care	1000	Care	Housing	portation	Other	Taxes	
Red Lake Co.	\$31,311	\$15.05	\$0	\$351	\$163	\$629	\$829	\$268	\$369	
State of Minnesota	\$32,964	\$15.85	\$0	\$355	\$153	\$832	\$704	\$325	\$378	
Typical Family: 2 Adults (1	Family Yearly	Hourly Wage	Monthly Costs							
working full-time, 1 part-	Cost of Living		Child Care	Food	Health	Housing	Trans-	Other	Taxes	
time), 1 child	COST OF LIVING	Required	Ciliu Care	roou	Care	Housing	portation	Other	Taxes	
Red Lake Co.	\$48,225	\$15.46	\$203	\$801	\$519	\$723	\$974	\$417	\$382	
State of Minnesota	\$58,800	\$18.85	\$546	\$810	\$549	\$1,069	\$819	\$515	\$592	

Source: DEED Cost of Living tool

Red Lake Co. had a lower median house value than the state, having the 70th highest value of the 87 counties in 2019. Red Lake Co.'s housing stock was older than the state's, with a lower percentage of units built since 2000 (see Figure 12).

Table 10. Estimated Value of Owner-	Red Lake	Minnesota	
occupied Housing Units, 2019	Total	Percent	Percent
Total	1,395	100.0%	100.0%
Less than \$50,000	237	17.0%	4.6%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	337	24.2%	7.8%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	322	23.1%	12.3%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	258	18.5%	17.9%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	142	10.2%	28.1%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	76	5.4%	21.5%
\$500,000 or more	23	1.6%	7.9%
Median (dollars)	\$116,0	\$223,900	

Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

Figure 12. Year Structure Built, 2019 0% 10% 20%

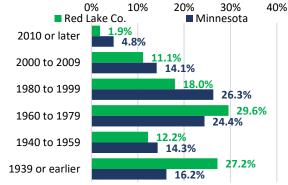


Figure 13. Housing Costs as a

Percentage of Income, 2019

14.3%

29.2%

Median monthly owner costs, owner-occupied units with a mortgage

\$1,160

state \$1,580

Percentage of households with a mortgage spending 30% or more of their income on housing costs

Median monthly rent costs \$554

Percentage of renters spending 30% or more of their household income on rent

state 4<u>5.1</u>%

Less than 20% 25.0% to 29.9%

17.0%

20% to 24.9% 30.0% to 34.9%

10.7% 57.5%

mortgage

23.7%

rent

■ 35% or more

Source: 2015-2019 American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimates

## **OCCUPATIONS**

At \$19.87 in 2021, wages were lower in Region 1 than the state. Overall, Region 1 had the 4th highest median hourly wage level of the 13 economic development regions in the state. Wages were highest for management occupations (\$45) and lowest for food preparation and serving related jobs (\$13.19) (see Table 11).

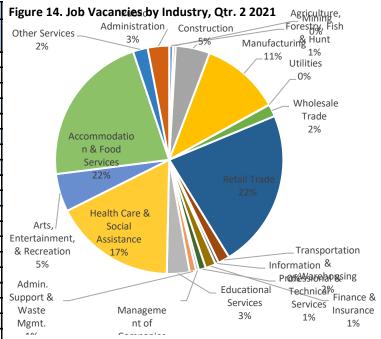
Table 11. Occupational Employment & Wage Statistics, 2021								
		Regio	n 1		Stat	te of Minnes	f Minnesota	
Occupational Group	Median Hourly Wage	Estimated Regional Jobs	Share of Total Jobs	Regional Location Quotient	Median Hourly Wage	State-wide Jobs	Share of Total Jobs	
Total, All Occupations	\$19.87	35,010	100.0%	1.0	\$23.00	2,708,760	100.0%	
Management	\$45.00	1,500	4.3%	0.7	\$54.22	164,530	6.1%	
Business & Financial Operations	\$28.04	1,350	3.9%	0.6	\$35.24	179,670	6.6%	
Computer & Mathematical	\$33.85	320	0.9%	0.3	\$44.89	98,240	3.6%	
Architecture & Engineering	\$32.36	740	2.1%	1.0	\$38.90	54,880	2.0%	
Life, Physical & Social Science	\$25.33	270	0.8%	0.8	\$35.48	26,120	1.0%	
Community & Social Service	\$24.01	600	1.7%	0.8	\$24.21	55,630	2.1%	
Legal	\$29.37	100	0.3%	0.4	\$41.02	19,760	0.7%	
Education, Training & Library	\$19.68	2,700	7.7%	1.3	\$24.64	159,060	5.9%	
Arts, Design, Entertainment & Media	\$16.97	270	0.8%	0.6	\$25.72	36,260	1.3%	
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	\$29.24	1,630	4.7%	0.7	\$36.90	188,210	6.9%	
Healthcare Support	\$15.49	1,480	4.2%	0.7	\$15.52	157,140	5.8%	
Protective Service	\$23.35	570	1.6%	1.0	\$24.18	42,520	1.6%	
Food Preparation & Serving Related	\$13.19	2,130	6.1%	0.8	\$13.34	195,120	7.2%	
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	\$15.76	810	2.3%	0.8	\$16.14	74,550	2.8%	
Personal Care & Service	\$14.01	420	1.2%	0.6	\$14.57	51,660	1.9%	
Sales & Related	\$14.02	3,050	8.7%	0.9	\$16.83	250,430	9.2%	
Office & Administrative Support	\$20.02	4,230	12.1%	1.0	\$20.93	338,050	12.5%	
Farming, Fishing & Forestry	\$19.33	170	0.5%	3.1	\$18.14	4,230	0.2%	
Construction & Extraction	\$21.41	1,160	3.3%	0.9	\$29.84	102,390	3.8%	
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	\$23.48	1,620	4.6%	1.3	\$25.45	98,840	3.6%	
Production	\$21.30	4,830	13.8%	1.8	\$19.82	202,240	7.5%	
Transportation & Material Moving	\$18.19	5,060	14.5%	1.9	\$18.83	209,210	7.7%	

Source: DEED Occupational Employment & Wage Statistics, Qtr. 1 2021

## **JOB VACANCY SURVEY**

Red Lake Co. is a part of the Northwest planning region. There were 17762 job vacancies posted by employers in the 2nd Quarter of 2021, indicating extensive opportunity in the region, with openings across several occupations and industries (see Figure 14).

Table 12. Northwest Job Vacancy Survey R	Table 12. Northwest Job Vacancy Survey Results, Qtr. 2 2021							
	Number of							
Occupational Group	Vacancies	Wage Offer						
Total, All Occupations	17,762	\$15.13						
Management	189	\$31.17						
Business & Financial Operations	286	\$29.99						
Computer & Mathematical	149	\$28.03						
Architecture & Engineering	83	\$20.27						
Life, Physical & Social Sciences	39	\$21.59						
Community & Social Service	329	•						
Education, Training & Library	295							
Healthcare Practitioners & Technical	1,403							
Healthcare Support	1,885	\$13.87						
Protective Service	115							
Food Preparation & Serving Related	3,646	\$12.97						
Building, Grounds Cleaning & Maint.	806	\$17.47						
Personal Care & Service	221	\$13.21						
Sales & Related	2,388							
Office & Administrative Support	801	\$15.07						
Construction & Extraction	555	\$20.71						
Installation, Maintenance & Repair	1,106							
Production	1,283							
Transportation & Material Moving	1,855	\$14.97						



Source: DEED Job Vacancy Survey, Qtr. 2 2021

# **OCCUPATIONS IN DEMAND**

Table 13. Northwest Occupations in Demand, 2020							
Less than High School	High School or Equivalent	Some College or Assoc. Deg.	Bachelor's Degree or Higher				
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners	Nursing Assistants	Registered Nurses	Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education				
\$29,059	\$33,192	\$70,869	\$55,653				
Home Health and Personal	Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational	Veterinary Technologists and	Secondary School Teachers, Except				
Care Aides \$27,537	Nurses \$44,853	Technicians \$35,815	Special and Career/Technical \$57,557				
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand		Surgical Technologists	Substitute Teachers, Short-Term				
\$33,677	\$43,383	\$50,177	\$36,299				
Teaching Assistants, Except Postsecondary	Computer User Support Specialists	Computer Network Support Specialists	Accountants and Auditors				
\$31,147	\$48,506	\$60,416	\$59,318				
Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers	Dental Assistants	Electrical and Electronic Engineering Technologists and	Education Administrators, Kindergarten through Secondary				
\$45,816	\$44,363	\$50,325	\$101,280				
Pharmacy Technicians	Computer Numerically Controlled Tool	Agricultural and Food Science	General Internal Medicine				
\$35,018	Programmers \$62,623	Technicians \$38,083	Physicians NA				
Interviewers, Except	Emergency Medical Technicians and	Civil Engineering Technologists	Market Research Analysts and				
Eligibility and Loan \$32,542	Paramedics \$35,744	and Technicians \$63,159	Marketing Specialists \$53,033				
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and	Mobile Heavy Equipment Mechanics,  Except Engines	Forest and Conservation Technicians	Nurse Practitioners				
\$30,581	\$59,788	\$49,367	\$117,222				
Miscellaneous Assemblers	Health Information Technologists, Medical	Web Developers and Digital	Career/Technical Education				
and Fabricators	Registrars, Surgical Assistants, and	Interface Designers Teachers, Secondary School					
\$38,150	\$56,465	\$65,205	\$57,777				
Operating Engineers and Other Construction	Electricians	Industrial Engineering Technologists and Technicians Rehabilitation Counselors					
\$50,500	\$57,871	\$46,625	\$34,434				

Source: DEED Occupations in Demand

Red Lake Co. is a part of the Northwest planning region, which is projected to see a 4.2% increase in employment levels over the next decade. In addition to new jobs created, there will be a much larger number of exit openings (see Figure 15).

Table 14. Regional Industry Employment Projections, 2018-2028					
Northwest Planning Region	Estimated Employment 2018	Projected Employ- ment 2028	Percent Change 2018-2028		
Total, All Industries	263,134	271,445	3.2%		
Natural Resources & Mining	5,833	6,003	2.9%		
Utilities	1,185	1,155	-2.5%		
Construction	10,281	11,330	10.2%		
Manufacturing	29,207	29,064	-0.5%		
Wholesale Trade	12,153	12,545	3.2%		
Retail Trade	28,148	28,190	0.1%		
Transportation & Warehousing	6,934	7,284	5.0%		
Information	2,506	2,128	-15.1%		
Finance & Insurance, Real Estate	7,476	7,789	4.2%		
Professional Services & Mgmt. of Compani	5,618	6,143	9.3%		
Administrative & Waste Services	4,369	4,978	13.9%		
Educational Services	23,141	23,679	2.3%		
Health Care & Social Assistance	38,050	42,165	10.8%		
Leisure & Hospitality	25,231	25,664	1.7%		
Other Services, Ex. Public Admin	10,196	10,174	-0.2%		
Public Administration	23,300	23,980	2.9%		

Source: DEED 2018-2028 Employment Outlook

Figure 15. Regional Occupational

Employment Projections, 2018-2028						
■ From employment growth ■ From exit openings						
-5,0	J00	5,000 15,000				
Management	286	10.297				
Business & Financial	636	<b>2</b> ,510				
Computer & Mathematical	282	588				
Architecture & Engineering	246	902				
Life, Physical, & Social	110	388				
Community & Social Service	517	2,998				
Legal	51	365				
Education, Training, & Library	595	6,865				
Arts, Design, Entertainment	-69	<b>1</b> ,365				
Healthcare Practitioners &	1,468	4,223				
Healthcare Support	539	<b>4,1</b> 54				
Protective Service	134	2,000				
Food Preparation & Serving	894	15,239				
Building, Grounds Cleaning	403	5,998				
Personal Care & Service	1,240	10,537				
Sales & Related	18	8 13,932				
Office & Administrative	-940	16,166				
Farming, Fishing, & Forestry	47	<b>1</b> ,468				
Construction & Extraction	931	4,093				
Installation, Maintenance,	377	3,188				
Production -339 <b>8,253</b>						
Transportation & Material	715	7,667				
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## **ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS**

Due to the pandemic recession, after losing jobs over the past year, Red Lake Co. had the 87th largest economy of the 87 counties in the state. Red Lake Co. was the 17th fastest growing in the past year and the 34th fastest growing since 2015. From 2015 to 2020, employers in Red Lake Co. cut jobs, but lagged the state.

127 business establishments \$39,614 annual average wage

1,002 jobs \$39,693,013 total industry payroll

Job change, 2015-2020 -2.8% decline \$39,693,013

Figure 16. Industry Employment Statistics, 2005-2020

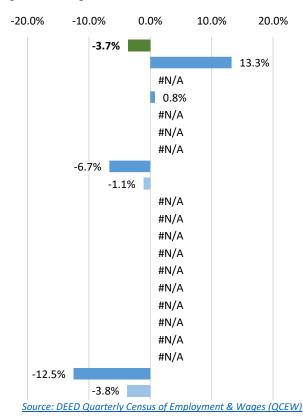


2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020

Source: DEED QCEW program

			Average
Table 15. Red Lake Co. Industry	Number of	Percent of	Annual
Employment Statistics, 2020	Jobs	Total Jobs	Wage
Total, All Industries	1,002	100.0%	\$39,614
Agriculture, Forestry, Fish & Hunt	47	4.7%	\$29,681
Mining	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Construction	66	6.6%	\$8,639
Manufacturing	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Utilities	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Wholesale Trade	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Retail Trade	98	9.8%	\$32,985
Transportation & Warehousing	88	8.8%	\$54,010
Information	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Finance & Insurance	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Real Estate & Rental & Leasing	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Professional & Technical Services	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Management of Companies	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Admin. Support & Waste Mgmt. Svcs.	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Educational Services	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Health Care & Social Assistance	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Arts, Entertainment, & Recreation	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Accommodation & Food Services	#N/A	#N/A	#N/A
Other Services	32	3.1%	\$11,277
Public Administration	77	7.7%	\$37,809

Figure 2. Change in Jobs, 2019-2020



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